element for: (a) monitoring a user's access patterns to the hyper-text documents; (b) accessing the hyper-text documents including structure information of the accessed hyper-text documents; (c) creating a formatted version of the accessed hyper-text documents for the user. Preferably the documents are harvested or fetched from various hyper-links, in a background mode while a user is accessing various hyper-text documents.--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claim 25 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 1-24, 26-29, and 31 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method of forming a printable document by collating a plurality of hyper-text documents, said method comprising the steps of:

(a) monitoring a user's access patterns to [said] the hyper-text documents; [and]

(b) accessing [said] the hyper-text documents including structure information of the accessed hyper-text documents;

(c) [creating a formatted version of the accessed hyper-text documents for said user] compiling a list of the hyper-text documents using the structure information; and

(d) formatting the list into the printable document comprising each hyper-text document specified in the list.

2. (Amended) A method as claimed in Claim 1, wherein steps (a), (b), [and] (c), and (d) are conducted while the user accesses at least the hyper-text documents.

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